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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of : Customer Number: 20277
 Salah D. KIVLIGHN, et al. : Confirmation Number: 4997
 Application No.: 09/892,505 : Group Art Unit: 1617
 Filed: June 28, 2001 : Examiner: NGUYEN, QUANG

For: TREATMENT FOR CARDIOVASCULAR DISEASE

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 Commissioner for Patents
 P.O. Box 1450
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Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

No additional fee is required.
 Applicant is entitled to small entity status under 37 CFR 1.27
 Also attached:

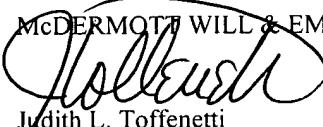
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	NO. OF CLAIMS	HIGHEST PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	EXTRA CLAIMS	RATE	FEE
Total Claims	13	20	0	\$50.00 =	\$0.00
Independent Claims	4	5	0	\$200.00 =	\$0.00
Multiple dependent claims newly presented					\$0.00
Fee for extension of time					\$1020.00
Request Continued Examination (RCE)					\$790.00
Total of Above Calculations					\$1810.00

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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 500417, including any filing fees under 37 CFR 1.16 for presentation of extra claims and any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.

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**RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.116
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE**

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Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed March 13, 2006. Accordingly, this response is due on or before September 13, 2006, together with a petition and fee for a three month extension of time.

Amendments to the Claims are set forth beginning on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.